

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 773

By Finney R.

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Elizabeth A. Wolf, 2008
Valedictorian of Sevier County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Elizabeth A. Wolf is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2008 graduating class at Sevier County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Elizabeth has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Wolf has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average while participating in a number of extracurricular activities, including the varsity volleyball team, the bowling team, the Smoky Mountain Junior Volleyball Club, the Community Volleyball League, and the French Club; and

WHEREAS, her astute performance in the classroom and numerous talents have garnered Ms. Wolf several awards, including the Coaches Award for Volleyball, the 2008 All-District Defensive Specialist of the Year Award, the Purple Pride Award for Volleyball, the Athletic Academic Achievement Award, the Smoky Bear Award, the English I Award, the Algebra I Award, the Wellness Award, the Creative Writing Award, the Honors Ancient History Award, the Spanish II Award, and the Advanced Placement Government Award; and

WHEREAS, she achieved inclusion in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*, the National Honor Roll, and the All-District Volleyball Team; and

WHEREAS, a leader among her peers, Elizabeth rendered sterling service as Captain of the varsity volleyball team, Secretary of the Science Club, and President of the American Field Service; and

WHEREAS, a civic-minded individual, she has donated her time and energies to a number of volunteer service projects and community organizations, including People to People International, the National Eating Disorder Association, the Trula Lawson Early Childhood Development Center, and the Sylvan Learning Center; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Wolf is preparing herself for the challenges of the adult world through part-time employment with KB Toys; and

WHEREAS, Elizabeth's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Miss Wolf's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Michael and Christie Wolf, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Elizabeth Wolf's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2008 Sevier County High School Valedictorian, Elizabeth A. Wolf, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.